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To Examiner Sunil Singh
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Message

**Amendment After Final
Serial # 09/898,989**

Urgent: Please deliver to Examiner Sunil Singh Immediately

Examiner Singh,

As we discussed this morning in our telephone conversation, I am reformatting and resending the Amendment D After Final that we submitted on November 21, 2003. I am resending this fax at your request because you indicated that the Fax that you received on November 21, 2003 cut off some of the text on the top of page 10 and some of the other pages of the Amendment. As now indicated in the middle of page 10 due to the reformatting, claims 81-82 were previously canceled. Other than the reformatting to increase the margins at the top and bottom of the amendment, there have been no changes to the amendment. Please enter the following Amendment After Final into patent application serial number 09/898,989.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Jay Beyer

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of)

John E. Mercer)

Serial No: 09/898,989)

Filed: July 3, 2001)

For: BORING TOOL CONTROL USING REMOTE)
LOCATOR)

Examiner: Sunil Singh

Art Unit: 3673

Attorney Docket: DCI-P015C2

Date December 31, 2003

CERTIFICATE OF FAXING I hereby certify that this correspondence is being faxed to: Commissioner of Patents, Art Group 3673, fax number 703-872-9327 on December 31, 2003.

Signed: 

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Commissioner of Patents
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SIR: Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above application.

☒ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 has been established
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Respectfully submitted,


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